

## **DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY**U.S. Customs and Border Protection

## Accreditation and Approval of Saybolt LP as a Commercial Gauger and Laboratory

**AGENCY:** U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Department of Homeland Security.

**ACTION:** Notice of accreditation and approval of Saybolt LP as a commercial gauger and laboratory.

**SUMMARY:** Notice is hereby given, pursuant to CBP regulations, that Saybolt LP has been approved to gauge petroleum and certain petroleum products and accredited to test petroleum and certain petroleum products for customs purposes for the next three years as of July 27, 2016.

**DATES:** Effective Dates: The accreditation and approval of Saybolt LP as commercial gauger and laboratory became effective on July 27, 2016. The next triennial inspection date will be scheduled for July 2019.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Christopher J. Mocella, Approved Gauger and Accredited Laboratories Manager, Laboratories and Scientific Services Directorate, U.S. Customs and Border Protection, 1300 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Suite 1500N, Washington, DC 20229, tel. 202-344-1060.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Notice is hereby given pursuant to 19 CFR 151.12 and 19 CFR 151.13, that Saybolt LP, Road 127, KM 13.4, BO. Magas Arriba Guayanilla, PR 00656, has been approved to gauge petroleum and certain petroleum products and accredited to test petroleum and certain petroleum products for customs purposes, in accordance with the provisions of 19 CFR 151.12 and 19 CFR 151.13.

Saybolt LP is approved for the following gauging procedures for petroleum and certain petroleum products from the American Petroleum Institute (API):

API Chapters	Title
3	Tank Gauging
7	Temperature Determination
8	Sampling
12	Calculations
17	Maritime Measurement

Saybolt LP is accredited for the following laboratory analysis procedures and methods for petroleum and certain petroleum products set forth by the U.S. Customs and Border Protection Laboratory Methods (CBPL) and American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM):

CBPL No.	ASTM	Title
27-01	D287	Standard Test Method for API Gravity of Crude Petroleum
		and Petroleum Products (Hydrometer Method)
27-02	D1298	Standard Test Method for Density, Relative Density (Specific
		Gravity), or API Gravity of Crude Petroleum and Liquid
		Petroleum Products by Hydrometer Method
27-08	D86	Standard Test Method for Distillation of Petroleum Products
27-11	D445	Standard Test Method for Kinematic Viscosity of Transparent
		and Opaque Liquids
27-13	D4294	Standard Test Method for Sulfur in Petroleum and Petroleum
		Products by Energy-Dispersive X-ray Fluorescence
		Spectrometry
27-48	D4052	Standard Test Method for Density and Relative Density of
		Liquids by Digital Density Meter
Pending	D1657	Standard Test Method for Density or Relative Density of
		Light Hydrocarbons by Pressure Hydrometer

Anyone wishing to employ this entity to conduct laboratory analyses and gauger services should request and receive written assurances from the entity that it is accredited or approved by the U.S. Customs and Border Protection to conduct the specific test or gauger service requested. Alternatively, inquiries regarding the specific test or gauger

service this entity is accredited or approved to perform may be directed to the U.S.

Customs and Border Protection by calling (202) 344-1060. The inquiry may also be sent

to CBPGaugersLabs@cbp.dhs.gov. Please reference the website listed below for a

complete listing of CBP approved gaugers and accredited laboratories.

http://www.cbp.gov/about/labs-scientific/commercial-gaugers-and-laboratories

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Ira S. Reese, Executive Director, Laboratories and Scientific Services Directorate.

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